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# DIDSURY PIONEER

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## Hurry - Up Sale

We have had a remarkable season—the best in the history of this store—all previous sales records have been broken. Now comes the crowning event of this season's great business—this Hurry-Up Sale of everything in the store.

**Begins Saturday, May 4th  
& will continue till June 4th**

We've got to Hurry Up and close out our entire stock of MEN'S AND BOYS SUITS AND OVERCOATS, FURNISHINGS, HATS, CAPS, JEWELRY, MEN'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

So we have put Hurry Up prices on every article in the store, so that men who Hurry Up and come quick will be amply repaid because they hurried to this Big Bargain Event.

Watch for posters and figure out what you can save during this Hurry Up Sale.

**J. V. Berscht**

## Special Sale

I am going out of the Boot and Shoe Business, as I must have the room for my new stock of groceries.

I am giving a Special Discount of 25 per cent. on all Boots, Shoes and Mitts for the balance of the week.

If you want Spring Shoes get them while cheap at

**Bob Robertson's**

## UNION BANK OF CANADA

Paid-up Capital and Rest and Undivided Profits \$8,181,370

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Bank Money Orders issued by the Union Bank of Canada for sums up to \$50.00 cost only from 3c to 15c, according to amount. They are payable anywhere in Canada (Yukon excepted), and in the principal United States cities.

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Carstairs Branch, Ed. Macgregor, Mgr.

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51 Threadneedle St., E.C.  
F. W. ASHE, Manager.

G. M. C. HART SMITH, Assistant Mgr.

## AROUND THE TOWN

Miss Creelman of Olds was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Mr. L. E. Smith has moved on to Mrs. Schooley's farm east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Snyder are visiting in Edmonton for a few days.

Smith & Gaetz of Red Deer purchased the Mrs. Dave Weber farm from Geo. A. Sheline last week.

Mr. D. Geib and wife and family and Mr. Chris Manto, all from Ontario, have located in Didsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Davies of Edmonton were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moyle on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Allen Campbell, formerly of the Ghost Pine, now of Calgary, was in town for a friendly visit on Tuesday evening.

Don't throw that pipe away! Bring it to Leigh S. Curtis and have a new stem put in. Amber or composition stems kept in stock.

Brother Rev. J. Rex Brown of Carstairs will conduct the services for the I. O. O. F. in the Presbyterian church on Sunday night next.

J. E. Stauffer, M. L. A., and Mayor H. B. Atkins were guests at a banquet tendered to Dr. Clark, M. P., on Tuesday evening at Olds.

Milton Moyer of Edmonton was a visitor in town on Saturday and Sunday. Milton says he came down for a drink of water and a bath because the water-works system had broken down in Edmonton for a few hours.

The new town fire bell has been received and Coun. St. Clair states that they are only waiting for the company's expert to arrive when the bell that is already in place will be taken down and the new one put up. The bell weighs 1,000 lbs.

One of the thrilling scenes in the production of "The Girl and the Tramp," at the opera house Monday, May 6th, is the explosion of a real automobile in full view of the audience. A positively guaranteed attraction. Special scenery. Specialties between acts.

Didsbury and district is experiencing the heaviest snow fall this year. The storm started in on Tuesday and today (Wednesday) there is about three inches on the level, although it is melting fast. This is quite a change because this district has had splendid weather for seeding until now. It is estimated that about 65 per cent. of the seeding has been completed and the season is about three weeks ahead of previous years.

Coun. Wrigglesworth was agreeably surprised on Wednesday to find that Mr. N. P. Lambert, who is touring the west arranging visits of the "Made-in-Canada" train, and who was in Didsbury for this purpose, was a nephew whom he had never seen before. Mr. Lambert comes from a family of ink-slingers, his father is editor of the Mount Pleasant Representative. A brother is also in the newspaper business and he himself was on the reportorial staff of the Toronto Globe for some years.

## Atlas Lumber Co., Limited

Formerly Bowman-Sine Lumber Co., Limited

We have everything you may want in

## BUILDING MATERIAL

Our Hobby, Quality & Low Price

## THE LEADING CASH STORE IN TOWN

WE have just received a shipment of the Celebrated Hagan Shirt, including all the leading patterns in Coat and Closed Styles, also Soft Collars and Cuffs. The material has been thoroughly tested before making up, therefore they will not fade or shrink. Call and see them before buying elsewhere. Also our new ties to match your Spring Suit.

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## Flour! Flour!

The best on the market

ROBIN HOOD - - } PURITY - - - - } \$3.60 per cwt.

DR. HESS' and CLARKE'S STOCK FOODS and PANACEA FOR CHICKENS ALWAYS IN STOCK

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from us and you will declare you never tasted anything better. The reason is because

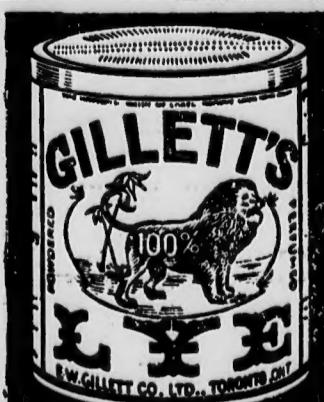
OURS ARE MADE RIGHT.

Only the best and freshest meats and the purest spices enter into their composition. And the ingredients are blended so skillfully that a delicious, appetizing flavor is produced. Try them just once.

We buy Hogs, Poultry and Hides at Top Market Prices. Live Hogs taken in every Monday.

N. WEICKER, Didsbury Meat Market





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ARTICLE • SOLD  
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For making soap,  
softening water,  
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drains, and for  
many other purposes

E.W.GILLETT  
COMPANY  
LIMITED  
TORONTO, ONT.

Wanted to Do The Right Thing.

A woman in Trenton, N.J., who has been having a lot of trouble with her domestic help, was obliged recently to accept the temporary service of a raw recruit in the shape of an Irish girl just landed in this country.

After a preliminary survey of the girl and a dejected sigh, the lady of the house asked:

"What can you do?"

"Shure, most anything at all, muni," responded the newcomer.

The lady of the house glanced about the room. There was every thing to be done. "Could you fill the lamps?" she finally ventured to ask.

"Shure, I kin fill the lamps!" exclaimed the enthusiastic Celt, as she grabbed one and started out. Then, with the air of one wishing above all things to suit the possible caprices of a new employer, she paused to query: "An' is it gas or ott ye'd be wantin' them filled with?"

Expansion And Contraction.

A teacher in a New Jersey educational institution had been trying to make clear to her pupils the principle in physics that heat expands and cold contracts. The rule was discussed in its various aspects and bearings, and finally the teacher said:

"William Brown, suppose you give me a good example of the rule."

"Well, ma'am," answered William, "in summer, when it is hot, the days are longer, and in winter, when it is cold, the days are shorter."

Hard and soft, corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, which is entirely safe to use, and certain and satisfactory in its action.

How Time Changes Words.

"Owe used to mean 'to own, to possess'."

Any boy was once a knave. Idiot once upon a time was applied to a private person who took part in public life. It is a Greek word, and the Greeks believed that all such persons were foolish; so it has come to mean a foolish person.

Hussey now characterizes an impudent woman, while originally it was a short word meaning housewife.

A villain was once a slave attached to a farm.

Tyrant once applied to any prince or governor.

Infant was once synonymous with "speechless."—Kansas City Times.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves's Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

Preparing for the Future.

"He drinks heavily."  
"I know it."  
"He gambles."  
"I am going to marry him to reform him."

"My girl, listen to me. Try one experiment before you do that."  
"What experiment?"  
"Take in a week's washing to do, and see how you will like it."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Mrs. Wombat, I understand you have been happily married for twenty-five years."

"Yes."

"One husband?"

"Yes."

Would you consider an offer to appear in vaudeville?"

"No; I don't believe in making a sensation out of such matters."—Pittsburgh Post.

Alaskan Mosquitoes.

Mosquitoes in the icebound northern country are a plague beyond relief. They come to life about the middle of May, before the ground is thawed out, and while many feet of ice still covers the lakes and all but the swiftest rivers. Stagnant, sun-heated water is not in the least necessary. They breed in the glaciers wherever a bit of earth or manure has melted a little pool. Their wrigglers are seen in running ice water. By the 1st of June it is uncomfortable to sleep without protection, and from that time on until September, when the first frosts have benumbed them, especially during the warm, rainy season of July and August, they become a never-ceasing scourge, swarming in thousands. The Alaskan mosquito is small, brown, silent, and very much in earnest. He never sings a warning nor fools about selecting a spot to taste, but, says a sufferer, comes in a bee-line with his probe and gets in to action. Every inch of your clothing is industriously bored, so that you look like an animated brown cocoon, and the slightest exposed spot on wrist or neck is promptly set on fire. I experimented with a small hole in my glove. After the first mosquito had found the opening others came in quick succession to the spot. He left some microscopic "kind lady and no dog" sign there. If I killed the first and left his carcass it served as a warning not at all. The others came the faster, and the more I killed the more eager the survivors became, perching quite unmoved on the remains of their confreres.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

Academy For Dogs:

An enterprising person in Paris has opened an academy for dogs. The duration of the curriculum is a minimum four months, when presumably a pass degree is obtained. For honors the time spent with class fees is somewhat heavy. The animals received at the school, which has above its portals in letters of gold the words "Academie pour Chiens," are taught a thousand and one graceful tricks, and on leaving they take with them their diploma signed and sealed. Some of the alumni, we read, have already obtained a deserved reputation.

Wretched from Asthma. Strength of body and vigor of mind are inevitably impaired by the visitation of asthma. Who can live under the cloud of recurring attacks and keep body and mind at their full efficiency? Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy dissipates the cloud by removing the cause. It does relieve, it does restore the sufferer to normal bodily trim and mental happiness.

Really Rainproof.

In Lapland garments made of reindeer wool are famous for their moisture-resisting property as well as for their warmth. The hair, unlike that of many animals, is not hollow throughout its length, but is divided into watertight cells filled with air, which appears to be under compression, so that when the garments are placed in water the hair, or wool, swells without breaking, and the wearer is buoyed up, and does not really sink if he falls overboard. Such garments are in common use among the Swedes and Norwegians.

Rather Useless.

Kind Lady—And what does your father do?

Urchin—Ain't got no father—only a stepfather.

Kind Lady—Well, what does your stepfather do?

Urchin—He ain't done nothin' since we've had him.

## Health And Success

are such intimate relations that no one can be expected to be well acquainted with success who does not keep good hold on health.

Most serious sicknesses start in minor troubles of the digestive organs. Thousands know by actual experience that health and strength—and therefore success—

## Are Increased By Use of

Beecham's Pills in time, and before minor troubles become deep-seated and lasting. This famous family remedy will clear your system, regulate your bowels, stimulate your liver, tone your stomach. Then your food will properly nourish you and enrich your blood. You will be healthy enough to resist disease—strong enough to take due advantage of opportunity after taking, as needed,

**BEECHAM'S PILLS**

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25c.

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Distribution Of Sexes.

A German economist, Herr Guliachambaroff, has recently made some calculations concerning the population of the world, says the Globe, and he arrives at the conclusion that there are 1,700,000,000 souls. From the point of view of sex, he possesses some data concerning 1,038,000,000 and he finds that of these 521,700,000 as males and 516,300,000 are females, consequently, on the aggregate, the professor concludes, there are 990 females for every thousand men. Herr Guliachambaroff finds the same distribution beyond Europe. In Africa women preponderate, and the ratio is greater than that of Europe, for in the black continent there are 1,046 females for every thousand men, compared with 1,027 women to the same number in Europe.

In the three other divisions of the world women are in the minority. In America they count for every thousand men 964 women, in Asia 961, and in Australia 937. In Africa that part where the women population is greatest is Uganda, where for a thousand men they count no fewer than 1,467 women.

The female population shows weakness in the Western and North-Western States of Eastern Australia. The greatest paucity of women is to be found in Alaska and the Malay States, where for 1000 men we find only 391 and 389 women respectively.

A Power of its Own.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has a subtle power of its own that other oils cannot pretend to, though there are many pretenders. All who have used it know this and keep it by them as the most valuable liniment available. Its uses are innumerable and for many years it has been prized as the leading liniment for man and beast.

Toads Embedded In Chalk.

Mrs. Marie S. Hagen, of Ropely, raises an interesting, though much discussed, question in the current issue of the Selbourne Magazine. She writes: "Recently I was having some deep holes dug out of the solid chalk in which had recently been a meadow, for the purpose of planting some pillar-roses, and in two of these my gardener found several small toads firmly embedded in the chalk, and one tightly fixed into a large flint. I had often heard of toads being found embedded in a rock, but I never quite believed it. The chalk in question cannot, I think, have been disturbed since it was first laid down upon the floor of some ancient ocean. Can the toads have burrowed so far beneath the surface—and through so hard a substance as solid chalk?"

How to REMOVE SUPERFLUOUS HAIR From the Face, Arms and Neck Told Free

Society women and actresses all over Europe are strongly endorsing a new marvelous discovery of how to remove superfluous hair from the face, arms and neck. This new discovery is now for the first time introduced into Canada. Any woman afflicted with the growth of superfluous hair can obtain the information free of charge. Send your name and address together with a 2 cent stamp to Madame Fayard, Room 26, Stobart Block, Winnipeg.

Height Of Shooting Stars.

According to "Cosmos," the mean height at which shooting stars first become visible is 81 miles. The mean height of their disappearance is about 58 miles. The mean length of this visible path is 45 miles.

"Who gets the custody of the automobile?"

Kind Lady—And what does your father do?

I old my wife she might have it. I can't keep up the machine and pay alimony, too."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Kind Lady—Well, what does your stepfather do?

Urchin—He ain't done nothin' since we've had him.

When going away from home, or at any change of habitat, he is a wise man who numbers among his belongings a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's I-sonery Cordial. Change of food and water in some strange place where there are no doctors may bring on an attack of dysentery. He then has a standard remedy at hand with which to cope with the disorder, and if reared he can successfully fight the ailment and set it free.

What Polly Wanted.

The McKeeps man was telling the minister about his educated parrot.

"Ask him something," he urged.

"Polly want a cracker?" asked the parrot.

"Naw, gimme three cards."

Do not give your family food made with alum baking powder. Use Magic Baking Powder. Cos a no more than the ordinary kind and is guaranteed not to contain alum. All ingredients are plainly printed on each package. See if they are on the brand you are now using. All up-to-date Grocers sell and recommend "Magic."

A Sheet That Couldn't Be Turned.

There is in London a gentleman who has given up several years of his life to a crusade against the ordinary sheet. He has invented a sheet which cannot be turned by the maker of the bed, so that the sleeper is always sure of being between the same surfaces. He holds that very few hotels give to each bolder a clean pair of sheets, and that the proprietors have an unpleasant habit of turning them or ironing them, and then calling them clean. "Few people realize," says the inventor, "that an ordinary pair of sheets can be put on a bed in 22 different positions. It is an appalling thought that one may be the thirty-second person to sleep between those sheets."

## Get My New Portable GRANARY

SEE how handy my new granary is. You place four or five of them around your quarter section. This saves time in harvest hauling to stacks."

"Then my granaries come in to hold your grain from each stack. My granary keeps grain clean, dry and heated. No musty grain, no losses from rats or vermin. When ready haul direct to the elevator from the granaries."

"I make several sizes of this handy granary. You can get 150, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600 and 1000, full measure guaranteed Imperial Bushel sizes (not small U.S. bushels) and you set up any Pedlar Granary in half a day. Remember you can move it easily any time. My Granary saves big money by cutting down teaming and keeping the grain right."

"See how the man at the left can shovel grain in from the threshing machine, if it has no leg-spout to deliver grain direct through the manhole on the roof. The other man is bagging grain. Granaries are had with door-section or plain, as desired. My new Granary is just right for saving cost. It pays for itself in a year. It comes in sections—low freight cost. A boy can set up. Write for my descriptive booklet."

Write for Booklet No. 52

The Pedlar People Limited, Oshawa, Ont.  
WINNIPEG CALGARY EDMONTON REGINA  
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Drawer 1013 care Whitlock & Marlatt 323 Fifth St. S

## MY FREE TRIAL TREATMENT MAY CURE YOU

Kingston, Ont., June 4th, 1898.  
Dear Mrs. Currah—I feel so very much better after using the 10 days' treatment of ORANGE LILY you were kind enough to send, that I will not require any more. In fact, I feel entirely well, and it is now a month since I stopped using the treatment.

Similar letters to the above are not infrequent, though, of course, such cases are not of long standing. Most women who have suffered for any length of time will require to use ORANGE LILY longer than the trial treatment in order to effect a complete cure, but in every case they will be perceptibly benefited. Further, the benefit will be permanent whether they continue to use ORANGE LILY or not. It is not taken internally, and does not contain any alcohol or other stimulant.

It is an applied treatment and acts directly on the suffering organs. In all cases of women's disorders, these organs are congested to a greater or less extent, and congestion just as positively and certainly as the action of ammonia or soap on soiled linen. It is a simple chemical combination.

In order that every suffering woman may prove its good qualities, I will send enough of ORANGE LILY for 10 days' treatment, absolutely free, to each lady who will send me her address. MRS. FRANCIS E. CURRAH, WINDSOR, ONT.

## WEAR The King Hat GUARANTEED A HAT FOR EVERY FACE

The day before she was to be married the old negro servant came to her mistress and entrusted her savings to her keeping.

"Why should I keep it? I thought you were going to get married?" said the mistress.

"So I am, missus; but do you suppose I'd keep all dis money in the house wid that strange nigger?"

## Hard Drinking Water.

Many persons have long believed that it is injurious to the health to drink "hard" water. Medical authorities now assert that there is no foundation for that belief, and some maintain that hard water is even superior to soft water for drinking purpose. They point out the fact that ordinary food contains a great deal more lime than is to be found in even a larger quantity of water than any one would be likely to drink. Gout is said to occur alike among those who do and those who do not drink hard water. According to the statistics quoted in the Engineer, the death-rate in "hard water towns" is actually less than in "soft water towns." It is also the fact that most of the natural waters used to the drinking of hard water, themselves contain no small proportion of lime salts.

## A WOMAN'S GOOD LOOKS

Depend on her general health and freedom from pain. Many a woman looks old before her time because of those irregularities which are essentially feminine. Starting from early womanhood, she suffers from frequently recurring derangements that upset her womanly health. If she is beautiful she grows into that mellow age without wrinkles and crowns about the eyes or the blue circles underneath. It is invariably the rule that such women suffer little, or not at all, from womanly derangements which sap the health and leave in the face the tell-tale story of pain and suffering. Dr. R. V. Pierce, the famous specialist in the diseases of women, found a prescription in his early practice that soothed the organism peculiar to womanhood—oiled the machinery, as it were, of the human system—and helped the woman to pass those painful periods that scar-lined and aged her face. This remedy became the well-known Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that has benefited thousands of women and saved them from misery and suffering at different periods in life.

Mrs. HARRIET E. PIERCE, of 244 Bright Street, Kitchener, Ont., writes: "I am now a well woman after suffering for three years and doctoring with several different doctors, each one saying it was something different, and the last one, after putting me through a thorough examination, said I was suffering from a growth, which, in time, would result in cancer, and I would not live more than two years if not operated upon. Right away I became hopeless and despondent, but could not submit to the operation as I was too weak, and too much afraid, but at last, through the advice of a friend, I tried Dr. Pierce's medicine, and after using two bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription,' I immediately felt a change. I also used two boxes of 'Healing Suppositories' and eight boxes of 'Lotion Tablets,' and can safely praise the name of Dr. Pierce's medicines to all who suffer from any female disease, for these medicines are all they are claimed to be, and I hope will help others as they have helped me."



## DIDSBURY FURNITURE STORE

Just Received, spring stock of

Baby Carriages and Go Carts, Carpet Squares, Linoleum 12 ft. wide, Window Blinds & Curtains, also the newest designs in Wall Paper, Dinnerware in sets and open stock

## Durrer & Brusso

COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

## W. G. Liesemer

Headquarters for

Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, Furnaces, Wall Papers, Sherwin-Williams Paints, Deering Machinery, John Deere Implements

### Job Work a Specialty

### Call in and see our National Canada Stoves

## H. D. BOOKER

PAINTER AND PAPER HANGER

Wishes to thank the people for their support of the past year and is right on the spot for business this year, only

### Don't Ask For Credit

TERMS STRICTLY CASH

### FOR SALE

### PLEASANT VIEW RANCH

N.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 32, T. 31, R. 3, W. 5th. Good buildings, good water, fenced and cross fenced; 135 acres under cultivation, 24 acres in fall wheat. No better soil in Alberta.

\$5,600.00—Part cash, balance 5 years time.

F.J. COUPER, - DIDSBURY

### THIN HAIR A LIBERAL OFFER

When the hair thins out on the top of the head and the bald spot is getting ready to appear in public, don't get discouraged or irritable. Just go to your druggist and ask for Parisian Sage Hair Tonic. He will charge you 5¢ for a large bottle but if it does not cause hair to grow where the hair is thinning out nothing on this earth will.

And we want to say to everybody, man, woman and child, that you can have your money back if Parisian Sage isn't the best hair grower, hair saver, hair beautifier and dandruff' cure on the market today.

It stops itching scalp and falling hair and makes hair grow thick and abundantly. All druggists everywhere sell Parisian Sage or postpaid from The Giroux Mfg. Co., Fort Erie, Ont. See that the girl with the auburn hair is on every bottle. Sold and guaranteed by H. W. Chambers.

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H. E. OSMOND, EDITOR.



Another spring is here and no attempt is being made by the Town Council to fix up the plot of C.P.R. land opposite the post office for a public park. The negligence of the Council in this matter is hard to understand. It surely cannot be because of the cost as that will be very small, or because they are waiting for permission from the proper authorities as that has been received both by the writer and the Town Clerk, Mr. Reed, and the Council has been so notified. The preliminary work would only take a short time, in fact this work should have been done last fall so that the ground would have been in shape for further improvements in the spring. We understand that promises have been made by the Mayor and also some of the Councillors that this work would be undertaken for the last three years but so far nothing has come of it. This little park would be a benefit in more ways than one. It would be a pleasure to the townspeople and those who do business to see a little beauty spot in the center of the town; it would give the traveling public who pass through on trains a good impression; the Citizens band would have some place where they could come down town of an evening and give concerts for the entertainment of the public; and last but by no means least it would clean up an eye-sore that is a disgrace to the progressive town of Didsbury.

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Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these tablets. Sold by all dealers.

### Notice

The Belgian Draft Stallion Acte will stand at his owner's farm at half a mile north of Elkton for the season of 1912.

Pedigree — Sire, Nevellois 19084; dam, Rosette Antoine 44503; grand sire, Ronis 9614; grand dam, Madeline 8829; great grand sire, Paulin 5666; great grand dam, Fanny du Flo 9105.

Anyone wishing to leave mares on the farm for service for season can do so on payment of \$10 for the season.

D. D. JAMES, Elkton.

A summer tourist was passing through a German village in the west recently, when a stout German girl came to the front door and called to a small girl playing in front. "Gusty! Gusty!" she said, "come in and eat yourself. Ma's on the table, and pa's half et!"

There never was a time when people appreciated the real merits of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy more than now. This is shown by the increase in sales and voluntary testimonial from persons who have been cured by it. If you or your children are troubled with a cough or cold give it a trial and become acquainted with its good qualities. For sale by all dealers.

fully qualified to find out what really did happen, as they know the conditions that obtain on the seas and are in a better position to conduct the enquiry, while in the Senate committee there is only one man who has had any experience whatever in nautical matters, in fact one of the committee has shown lamentable ignorance in his examination of witnesses. Another reason we think why this enquiry should not have been held at this time is the fact that the survivors were not in a condition that would tend to bring out the points which the committee desired because of the recent nervous strain which they had undergone. The Calgary News-Telegram puts the matter succinctly when it says:

Many ugly things have come out in the Senatorial enquiry which certainly seems to require explanation, but the absence of legal assistance not un naturally has placed the witnesses in an embarrassing position. It will not be so in England, where everybody's interests will be watched and guarded by learned members of the legal profession. "Bullying" witnesses will not be tolerated by Lord Mersey, and blunt admissions will be subjected to explanation if desired. We are unaware of the true power possessed by the United States Senate Committee in a matter of this kind, but we incline to the opinion that if the Titanic had been an American boat operating under the Stars and Stripes, and its rescued had been landed in Liverpool, had the British government adopted the tactics pursued by the United States Senate, the United States Government would have resented them, and would speedily have informed Great Britain that she had no jurisdiction in the matter, and no right to meddle in matters that did not concern her, notwithstanding that many of her subjects had fallen victims to the disaster. Of course, Great Britain would not presume to place herself in an invidious position in such a matter.

Uncle Toby was aghast at finding a strange darky with his arm around Mandy's waist.

"Mandy, tell dat niggah to take his ahm 'way from me and yo' waist," he indignantly commanded. "Tell him yo'self," said Mandy haughtily. "He's a puffed stranger to me."

The inventor of a new feeding bottle for infants sent out the following among his directions for using:

"When the baby is done drinking it must be unscrewed and laid in a cool place under the hydrant. If the baby does not thrive on fresh milk, it should be boiled."

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darius Downey, of Newberg Junction, N. B., writes, "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effectual and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

### Liquor License Ordinance

#### APPLICATION FOR

#### TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE

Application has been made by Lee Richardson for consent to the transfer to himself of the license granted to John Ford McCarney, in respect to the Alexandra Hotel, situated on lots 1 and 2 in Block 1, Didsbury, Alberta.

If necessary this application will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at a meeting to be held at Calgary on Thursday, May 23rd, 1912, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Edmonton this 23rd day of April, 1912. L. F. CLARRY,  
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STRAYED—Dark brown filly, supposed to be southwest of Reed's ranch near Atkins school; 2 years old, branded 3 on right hip, white stripe on face. The above reward will be given for information leading to recovery. WALTER SMITH, Didsbury.

### 55 REWARD

STRAYED—One heifer, one year old, roan with red neck, branded MC on right ribs; one steer two years old, light colored roan, branded EC on right ribs. Above reward will be paid for information leading to recovery by CHAS. YOUNGS, Sec. 23, Tp. 31, Rg. 5, W. 5, on blind line west of Didsbury.

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"I suppose you are very fond of this Lady Anne Daubeny, Mrs. Anning?" he suggested. "I understand you have seen her grow up in the neighbourhood?"

"She's a beautiful young lady, to be sure," Mrs. Anning said, as she arranged the table. "But she's more like a queen than an ordinary person. She does a lot of good on the quiet. At night you often catch her taking food and dainties to cottagers who are ill; but she gets angry if you speak of it. She never takes no notice of that sweet little Teddy Jessop, and I'm sure the child's like a picture. I don't believe Lady Anne really likes the Jessops, between you and me, sir. Susan, she's a fine girl, but pert, and Teddy is the son of Susan's sister Julia, that died when he was a few months old, leaving the child in Granmer Jessop's care. Julia was in service in London, and she swore the poor babe was born in wedlock. But Jessop he's always called, whatever his father's name was; and maybe that's why Lady Anne, who's very strict and particular, doesn't like him."

"It would be hard to think that was the child's fault," said Harry.

"Lady Anne is a little wee bit hard, sir. But it was her misfortunes, doubtless, made her so. One mustn't say a word against her to my John, though, nor yet to his brother George. Lady Anne is everything to them; no one else has a right to live, according to them, and I durstn't find any fault in her while they're about! As to poor old Stephen Jessop, I've heard he won't eat a morsel that she doesn't serve him with her own hands. And he was but a villager and she a lady of title! She waits upon him, they tell me, like as if he was her father."

"That doesn't sound hard," observed Harry.

"It doesn't indeed," Mrs. Anning agreed. "But lord, sir, she's a lady—Lady Anne—if I may make so bold as to say so!"

Before he had left the farm for his morning walk, Harry had an unexpected visitor.

In her black and white frock and her belloved hat, and her pointed French boots, Mlle. Lisette Dupont came tripping over the old Elizabethan bridge, and, lifting her skirts very high, stepped daintily across the farmyard to the gate before the grass plot to the Manor House.

"My word! Here's a smart young person!" exclaimed the farmer's wife, meeting Harry in the hall. "It must be you, sir, she's after; not my steady old John, I do hope!"

"It is zat Meester Woort leev'e ere!" the young lady asked as she saw Mrs. Anning staring at her from the porch. "I wish to see 'im, if please you, madame!"

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"About seven years ago pimples broke out all over my face and neck. When they would first come out they would be big and red, then after a while they would turn white, and matter would come out. Sometimes they would itch so I could hardly sleep. I was ashamed to go down street, my face looked so bad. I went to several doctors and got medicine, which did me no good, and bought ointment, salves and patent medicines, but none of them would cure my face and neck. A friend advised me to try Cuticura Ointment. I got some, tried it, took the pimples away, and it had it all used up. I can say it is a wonderful remedy. Any sufferer who has pimples should use Cuticura Ointment if they want a sure cure. I never had any soap equal to Cuticura Soap." (Signed) Avilene Mathers, Parkhill, Ont., Dec. 24, 1910.

**Sores All Over Baby's Body**

"When my baby boy was six months old, his body was completely covered with large sores that seemed to itch and burn, and cause terrible suffering. The eruption began in pimples which would open and run, making large sores. His hair came out and finger nails fell off, and the sores were over the entire body, causing little or no sleep for baby or myself. Great soabs would come off when I removed his shirt. We tried a great many remedies but nothing would help him, till a friend induced me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment, but used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, but a short time before I could see that he was improving, and after six weeks time he was entirely cured. He had suffered about six weeks before we tried the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, although we had tried several other things and doctors too. I think the Cuticura Remedies will do all that is claimed for them, and a great deal more." (Signed) Mrs. Noble Tubman, Dodson, Mont., Jan. 28, 1911.

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"It is you, sir," whispered the farmer's wife, putting her head into the dining-room, where Harry was lighting a cigarette. "Shall I show her in?"

"By all means."

If Lisette was not the rose, at least she had the honour of dwelling near it; and anyone who could bring him news of Loder Abbey and its mistress was welcome to Harry.

Lisette entered with a pretty affection of maidenly confusion. Then she mysteriously shut the door after her.

"You have been so kind, monsieur, yesterday," she began in French, "that I regard you as my friend, and I supplicate you to give me your counsel."

"Sit down, Mlle. Dupont." Harry said, offering her a chair. "Have you come over for that?"

"Not precisely, monsieur. I have something to give you. But I am bewildered, troubled. Monsieur cannot conceive what a strange, what a terrible house I have entered. It is full, but full of mysteries!"

"What sort of mysteries?"

"First there is the Lady Anne. Figure to yourself, monsieur, before I see my dear mother, an ugly old woman with black hair, who appears not to understand French or English or anything; she looks at me from the head to the feet, and then I see a laugh in her black eyes. She shows me to a room full of china and pictures and embroideries. And there by the window is a lady as tall as you, monsieur, a giantess, all in white, who stares at me with eyes full of blue light, as when you throw salt in the fire.

"Who are you?" she says to me in a singular voice that is low and like running water.

"I tell her quickly who I am and for what I have come, and all that I can do—fine needlework, and dressmaking, and hairdressing. And she leaves off staring at me, and looks out into the garden and appears to be listening for something; but she listens not to me!

"At last she remembers me and looks down at me again.

"You are too young," she says in French, "much too young. You shall see your mother for a day or two and then you must find another situation."

"That is all, monsieur."

"Then she rings a bell and says to the black-haired woman, who is Spanish and called Maria—

"Take Lisette to her mother, Virginie."

"My mother, she embraces me fondly; but when I cry and tell her do not like her cold Englisht milady, she says I am wrong, and that I am dressed much too well, and that I should have worn my hair flat, and an old bonnet, to please Lady Anne, as they call her.

"If you are very good and quiet, and dress in my old gowns, you may perhaps stay," my mother says. "Milady pays her servants very well, and I want to have you near me. I told her you were nearly thirty, and not pretty."

"But, monsieur, it is not my fault that I am only twenty-two and not precisely ugly, it is!"

"Certainly not, mademoiselle. Pray go on."

"Afterwards my mother tells me my duties. I should have thirty pounds a year; my mother has fifty, but she is an excellent cook. But what a life! Never, no, never must I go outside the walls of the Abbey grounds, nor must I make any friends or see anyone! For church there is the little chapel to the Abbey, but I must only go into it when I am permitted. I must never enter the two rooms which are next to the chapel. I must go outside the house when the priest arrives, and enter the chapel from the grounds!

"That is not all.

"There is a person in the house of the greatest importance, whom I must never offend. Sometimes, I am told, he may send for me and tease me until I am half mad, but I must not answer him. But if he does not send for me (and it will be always Lady Anne who brings me the message) I must never enter his room.

"You will imagine, monsieur, that it is a young and handsome milord who rules like this in this house of women?

"But no; it is an old, old man, much more than seventy, a man of the most common, rough, ordinary kind, who speaks, they tell me, like the peasants here, and who is the husband of the little old woman who minds the lodge. He had a paralytic attack many years ago, and he has never left his room since that time. Only Lady Anne and Maria, and an old mad person I am told to take no notice of, enter the room of this Stephen Jessop. My mother, who has been there four years, has not even seen him! Monsieur, I have been more clever than she, for I have seen him, and that is why I am being sent away!

"I served milady at lunch. She was alone, as she always is, but she ate almost nothing.

"Then she rose, put some food on a tray, and some wine, and walked away with it, looking so great and stately, she frightened me.

"She goes to her room, but first she takes a key from her pocket and opens the door. She crosses her room and then puts another key in the door of the inner room.

"This old Stephen is locked in!

"I follow, too curious to stop, I am very quiet, and pretend to want to help milady, and carry the tray, and open the doors.

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**WIFE OF THE P.M.  
TALKS TO WOMEN**TELLS WHAT DODD'S KIDNEY  
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ly an invalid, is again in the best of  
health, and she is telling her friends  
how quick and complete was the cure  
when she took Dodd's Kidney Pills."My illness," Mrs. Chiasson says,  
was caused by a strain, and for two  
years I was a sufferer. My back ached,  
I was always tired and nervous,  
there were dark circles under my  
eyes and after sleeping I had a bitter  
taste in my mouth."I had a pressure and sharp pain on  
the top of my head I was always  
thirsty and my skin had a harsh, dry  
feeling. I was often dizzy, I perspired  
easily and my perspiration had an un-  
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**Remarkable Experiment.**

Sir W. Ramsey believes that something will be done in the nature of not raising coal at all, but letting it lie underground, burning it there, and taking off the gases. He has been in communication with a large colliery proprietor, and that gentleman is making the experiment. It will be started on a very small scale.

**Americans the Biggest Meat-Eaters.**

Despite the fact that the census reports show that Americans are steadily drifting towards vegetarianism, they are still (says the family Doctor), the greatest meat eaters in the world. Their meat costs every year one hundred million dollars more than their vegetables, including imported vegetable foods. In the aggregate American pay every year about \$2,250,000,000 for food.

**Ask for Minard's and take no other.**

Struggling Author: "This world will not recognize all I have done until after my death."

Friend (consoling): "Well, I wouldn't worry. You'd be beyond injury then."

**His Arch Look.**

George M. Cohan, the comedian, was talking about men's clothes.

"Blank," said Mr. Cohan, referring to a certain actor. "Blank is a well-dressed chap. Blank, I warrant, you, will look superb in his new Easter clothes in the Easter Sunday parade on Fifth avenue."

"Blank would look well enough, I admit," said a tragedian, only, hang it he is bow-legged."

"Oh, but that," said Mr. Cohan, "that is what gives him his arch look."

The first bread was made by the Greeks and the first windmill by the Saracens.

**Rather Grateful.**

"Do you think it possible to love your enemies?"

"Not exactly," replied Miss Cayenne. "Yet many of us ought to feel rather grateful to our enemies, as the only people who take a real interest in us."

**The Origin Of Diamonds.**

Von Bolton thinks that diamonds are formed in nature by the action of metal vapors, such as iron or magnesium, on carbon dioxide. He has succeeded in making microscopic diamonds by the action of mercury vapor on carbon.

**A MOTHER'S PRAISE OF  
BABY'S OWN TABLETS**

Mrs. Wm. Sullivan, Main River, N. B., says: "Up to the time my baby was three months old it cried almost continually day and night. I tried many things but got nothing to help it until a neighbor advised Baby's Own Tablets. I got a box of these and there was a change almost after the first dose and in a short time the child was in the best of health, and is now a big, fat, good-natured baby. I am now never without the Tablets in the house and recommend them to other mothers." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 2 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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# LIBERAL PLAN IS ADOPTED FOR COLONIZATION OF C.P.R. LANDS

Natural Resources Department of C.P.R. has Adopted a Far Reaching Scheme to Encourage Settlement of Western Lands.

Montreal.—One of the first results of the creation of the natural resources department of the C.P.R. is announced in the adoption of a far-reaching scheme for the colonization of the company's land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The most striking innovation in this scheme is that the C.P.R. will loan to each selected colonist a sum of \$2000 for a period of ten years at 6 per cent per annum for use in the development of his farm.

There are, of course, restrictive conditions attached to the loans, but there is not the slightest doubt that the enterprise will be largely taken advantage of, and that the result will be one of the most remarkable movements ever inaugurated in connection with land colonization.

The conditions drawn up are that applicants should be married men actually engaged in farming on a rented farm. These will be required to own, free of encumbrance, sufficient furniture, horses, cows and other live stock to enable them to go into im-

mediate occupation of their farms in western Canada. Thus it will be seen that the scheme has largely been drawn up to meet the requirements of farmers now renting land in the middle states of America.

The applicants will be required to have sufficient capital to make their first payment of one-tenth on the land purchased and to cover the cost of upkeep of their families for one year. They will also be required to personally visit the west and select their own farms.

The full amount of the \$2000 loan is to be added to the purchase price of the farm and repaid annually in installments on principal and interest. The amount of the loan has to be expended on the following improvements.

The erection of a house from one of the standard plans of houses erected by the company on its ready-made farms; the erection of a barn from one of the standard plans; the fencing of the farm; the provision of a well and pump, and the cultivation and cropping of at least fifty acres.

## THE NE TEMERE HEARING.

### Possibility That Reference to Supreme Court May Not Come Up.

Ottawa, Ont.—There is a possibility that the reference to the Supreme court on marriage law case might not proceed on May 17. In an analogous case involving the right of the government to refer such a matter to the supreme court, the judges decided that they had jurisdiction to hear it. That judgement, however, was appealed to the privy council, the case in point having reference to company corporations.

Should the privy council, whose judgement is expected on May 4, decide that such reference is ultra vires the marriage case could hardly be taken up. If judgement is not delivered before the case comes up a motion will be made by council for Quebec to delay the hearing until such time as preliminary issue of jurisdiction is determined.

### SHIPBUILDING PLANS MODIFIED.

#### New White Star Liner Will Have Double Cellular Bottom and Sides.

London.—It is understood that the plans of the White Star "Gigantic," which is now being built at Belfast, and which was to have been 1000 feet in length will be modified. It is probable that the new plans will provide for double cellular bottom and sides, such as the Mauretania and Lusitania, as a stipulated condition of the government subsidy.

The Olympic has been provided with 40 collapsible boats, and will carry 16 additional lifeboats.

### No Labor Disturbances.

Ottawa.—The department of labor reports that labor conditions throughout Canada are exceptionally satisfactory for this time of year and May Day promises to pass without a single disturbance.

At the present time there is not an arbitration board sitting or application in for one.

One board was at work in Winnipeg to settle a dispute between the C.P.R. and their freight clerks and freight handlers. The report of the board has not yet been received but unofficially the department has learned that the difficulties have been adjusted and the men have gone back to work.

All the troubles between railways and their employees in Canada, at the present time promises to be settled without resource to even an arbitration board.

### Grand Trunk Engineers Get Increase.

Montreal.—It is officially announced that an agreement has been entered into between the Grand Trunk Railway Company and their locomotive engineers, which agreement was duly signed on behalf of both parties, by which the engineers will get an increase of from 12 to 15 per cent. in their wages, bringing them up to practically the same wage standard as the locomotive engineers on the Canadian Pacific. The agreement covers the next three years and affects two thousand men all over the company's system.

### Winnipeg's False Weights.

Winnipeg.—Winnipeg citizens are losing more money every year than they pay in rates and taxes by false weights and measures, said Controller Douglas in seconding the demand of Market Superintendent Ridd, for a greatly increased staff to keep tabs on false weights.

### C. P. R. Lake Traffic.

Montreal.—The C.P.R. announces that commencing at once it will accept freight for Fort William and all points west via its upper steamers which will take year round to these ports. It is also accepting freight from Port Arthur instead of as in previous years, from Owen Sound; to these ports. It is also accepting freight from Manitoulin and Georgian Bay ports of call via Owen Sound.

## BANNER YEAR IN ALBERTA.

**Fast Becoming Difficult to Get Homesteads Though Still Land for Sale.**  
Winnipeg.—Hon. Arthur L. Sifton, Premier of Alberta, back from the East, feels quite jubilant over the prospects in Alberta this year. Spring opened up early and was finer than has been known for twenty years. Seeding started early and has been proceeding under favorable conditions. Larger acreage than ever before has been planted, and so far as can be guessed in advance prospects are favorable for banner crops.

Settlers for both farms and towns are crowding in at an unprecedented rate. It is fast becoming difficult to get homesteads in the south, though land for sale is still plentiful. The rush, however, is to Grande Prairie and the Peace River Valley, which have received widespread attention late and are apparently to be the favorite points this year for the great bulk of the newcomers.

This will also be a banner year for Alberta in regard to railway work. The Canadian Pacific are building a branch east from Lethbridge and one south from Suffield, through the irrigated lands of the South Alberta Company, and efforts will be made by this company to have the same continued as far as Kipp, in order to assist settlers in, between who have been raising large crops for some time.

The C.P.R. have been strongly urged to start this line from both ends, so as to ensure for this fall the much needed outlet for a large district contiguous to their lines but too far for profitable hauling.

The Grand Trunk Pacific now have a gang of men completing the Topeka to Calgary line, and has promised steel for the same for delivery upon the opening of navigation. That line is accordingly assured to Calgary this season.

The Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railroad has secured all necessary money and has purchased steel for the season's work. They will start construction before May 1, and laying of the steel as soon as navigation opens.

## SPEND SUMMER IN TRAVEL.

### Connaught Will See Canada from Charleston to Prince Rupert in Six Month's Trip.

Ottawa.—The itinerary of the Duke of Connaught for the coming summer has been prepared.

They all spend the week of May 26 in Montreal; May 16 they arrive in Toronto, and May 29th and 30th will visit London and Guelph.

They will leave for Montreal on May 31st.

June 2 to 17 will be spent in Quebec after which their Royal Highnesses will spend two weeks on the Tobeatic River fishing. They will arrive about July 7 at Winnipeg for the opening of the exhibition, returning towards the end of the month to the east.

They will leave Montreal by steamer for the Maritime Provinces on August 1, visiting Gaspe, Summerside, Charlottetown, Pictou, Hawkesbury, Sydney, Halifax, Truro, Windsor, St. John, Fredericton and other places.

He will open the Toronto exhibition on the last day of August, after which their Royal Highnesses will leave for the west, visiting Sault Ste Marie, Sudbury, Port Arthur, and Fort William.

Leaving Winnipeg on September 1, their Highnesses will visit Saskatoon and Prince Albert on September 3 and 4, reaching Calgary on the fifth. After two days' stay at Calgary, it is probable that their Royal Highnesses will open the new irrigation works of the Southern Alberta Land Company at Strathmore.

The plans for the next few days are indefinite, but it is probable that their Royal Highnesses will leave Calgary about September 17, stopping a few hours at Kamloops.

They will reach Vancouver on September 19, stopping there till the 23rd and paying a visit to New Westminster. They will leave for Prince Rupert on the 23rd and return to Victoria on the 28th for four days' visit.

They leave Vancouver on October 2, visiting Vernon and the Okanagan valley via the main line to Revelstoke, and thence to Arrow Head.

Passing through Robson and Nelson their Royal Highnesses will retain the special train across to Macleod and Lethbridge where they will probably stay from October 8 to 10. Then, Indian Head and Brandon, their Royal Highnesses will arrive at Poplar Point about October 15 and go for a few days shooting on Lake Manitoba, returning to Ottawa just before the end of October.

## SERIOUS CANTON DISORDERS.

### Thousands of Soldiers Returned in State of Discontent.

Hong Kong.—Fears are entertained of further serious disorders in Canton. Thousands of soldiers have returned from the north in a state of discontent and have been disbanded. The governor and general in command have been impeached for the execution of a Chinese editor. The provincial assembly and populace condemn the arbitrary action. Several officials have resigned because the governor has been appointing his clowns to office. The West River is being patrolled to keep off pirates.

**Addition to Ontario Named.**  
Toronto, Ont.—The new territory added to the Province of Ontario by division of Keewatin will be named Parry's district out of compliment to Connaught.

## THE MARKET REPORT.

### Weekly Grain Letter Supplied By Thompson, Sons & Co., Grain Merchants, Winnipeg.

**Wheat**—During the past week the wheat markets have been rather mixed in the course they have run. The immense damage to the winter wheat crop in several important sections in the United States has affected with great emphasis the Chicago market, especially in the May future in that market, while Minneapolis and Duluth have to a large extent shown indifference to the damage reports. The present condition of and the prospects for the outcome of the United States winter wheat crop are of very great importance in their bearing on prices of wheat for the balance of the present crop year. There is unfortunately no doubt now that an unusually large percentage of the crop sown in the states of Illinois, Missouri, Indiana and Ohio has been or is being plowed up, and will be planted with oats and corn. In the further west states, Nebraska, Kansas, and Oklahoma there is also some damage, but probably not more than usual, but over the whole winter wheat area the crop experts are beginning to estimate the acreage to be plowed up at 4,000,000 acres. As the winter wheat area planted last fall was estimated to be 2,000,000 acres less than it was the previous year, it can be imagined that the production of winter wheat in the United States in 1912 will be the smallest in recent years, for besides the acreage actually abandoned, there is sure to be a great deal left to grow that is so much winter killed as to give only small yield. A low condition of the crop in April suggests further deterioration in May and June, for as a friend of ours puts it, "the history of other damage years indicates that a crop which starts with trouble will continue in trouble." Outside of this serious crop damage there is less clear and definite evidence of a bullish situation, than there was some weeks ago, because the statistical position has continued to grow more bearish. In the United States the visible supply, although it had a decrease of 1,807,000 bus, last week, still stands as high as 47,960,000 bus, compared with about 33,408,000 bus last year. The quantity on ocean passage has been increasing steadily, and is now 54,024,000 bus, against 59,616,000 bus, a year ago. The European visible supply last week increased 1,684,000 bus, against a decrease of 1,200,000 bus, same week last year, and it now stands at 90,124,000 bus, against 112,100,000 bus last year, a difference of 21,976,000 bus, short of last year's quantity, while only four weeks ago the shortage compared with same date last year was 36,500,000 bus. These statistics don't seem to favor the idea of scarcity of wheat or higher prices for it, especially as prices at present are from 10c to 22c higher than they were a year ago. Nevertheless there is the sentiment that the situation is bullish. The visible supply in the United States is decreasing faster than it did a year ago, and there is a well-known shortage in Russia, Argentina and Australia, which will prevent in the next three months such large weekly world's shipments as took place a year ago. The conditions surrounding the growing crops other than the United States winter wheat, are generally favorable. At the present time every country in Europe can give a fair account of its growing crop. In the spring wheat country of the United States and Western Canada the seeding of the new crop has been started and is proceeding under normally favorable conditions. In Southern Minnesota and South Dakota wheat seeding is well advanced. Further north the season is somewhat later. The subsoil is well supplied with moisture this year and there is nothing to mar a fair prospect at present.

### Conditions Favorable for Great Crop.

**Winnipeg**—Saskatchewan will have 2,363,226 acres of new land under crop this season and 2,188,118 acres of summer fallow, according to J. Bruce Walker, Commissioner of Immigration who said that this big acreage is in ideal condition for sowing and will largely compensate for the lack of fall plowing. He adds that grain thrashed from the stalk this sowing is drier, harder and of better grade than that threshed early in November or during the winter. Seeding became general on April 15, the same date as last year, and a month earlier than in 1909 or 1917. Frost is out of the ground 10 to 12 inches and the seed bed is unusually favorable.

**Aviation Meet in Western Canada.**  
Winnipeg.—Aviation meets for Western Canada are planned and several noted aviators will compete in various cities during the coming summer. The opening meet will be in Winnipeg on May 10 and 11 to be followed by similar affairs at Portage la Prairie, Brandon, Medicine Hat, Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Regina, Prince Albert, Lethbridge and several other cities. McGowen, of Grand Forks will be one of the aviators and Sam A. Tyndall, New York, will also be here with his reputation which ranks with Pauline and Beaumont. He will fly for the Canadian altitude record in a Curtiss biplane. In addition several of those mysterious aircraft reported from various places in western Canada will also compete. There will be motor cycle races at each of the meets.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

### LESSON V.—SECOND QUARTER, FOR MAY 5, 1912.

The few verses in Luke vi are a part of his discourse in the presence of His disciples and a great multitude of people who came to hear Him and to be healed of their diseases as He came down from the mountain and stood in the plain. The teaching is somewhat similar to that in last week's lesson, but the poverty and hunger and weeping seem to be more literal physical conditions than in the sermon on the Mount; also by contrast the riches and fullness and laughter of verses 24, 25. The contrast between the "now" and a future time is more fully set forth in the Luke xvi lesson, and the bright side of it is concisely stated in I Cor. xiii, 12, "Now we see through a glass darkly, but then face to face; now I know in part, but then shall I know even as also I am known." As to literal poverty, we know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ—that, though He was rich, yet for our sakes He became poor, that we through His poverty might be rich (II Cor. viii, 9), and as we think of the Bethlehem manger, the Nazareth home and the hunger and thirst and homelessness of His life oftentimes in His public ministry we may perhaps imagine something of ordinary poverty, but who can tell the full meaning of the emptying, the service, the humility and obedience of Phil. ii, 7, 8, R. V.? The literally rich are often poor in spirit, meek and lowly at heart, while the literally poor are often proud and self centered. We must always remember that the Lord looketh on the heart and trieth the heart (I Sam. xvi, 7; Jer. xvii, 10). The "woe unto you when all men shall speak well of you" of verse 25 seems not to be a very popular verse in some quarters, for even preachers and evangelists have been known to hold back the truth on certain great topics so as to have the approval of men, a very prominent worker having recently said publicly that he aimed never to hurt the feelings of his fellow ministers. How very different from Him who said, "I do always those things that please the Father," and also from the apostle whose principle was "not as pleasing men, but God, who who trieth our hearts" (John viii, 29; Thess. ii, 4). Concerning the topic of our lesson, "Poverty and Riches," Luke abounds in records of rich men, as in xii, 16; xii, 1; xviii, 23; xix, 1, besides the rich man and Lazarus of the last part of our lesson. From these passages we note that a man's life consisteth not in abundance of the things which he possesseth, and some would do well to ask themselves, "Then whose shall those things be?" Riches sometimes make it difficult for the owners to enter the kingdom, and yet Zacchaeus, who was rich, did enter. Sometimes the gifts of the rich did not count as much in His sight as the gifts of the poor. We are simply stewards, whether intrusted with mysteries or money or other things, and we must give an account of our stewardship. We may say that, which is entrusted to us by us to know, the Lord will make greater to us the glory in His kingdom, while the Lord Himself will reward all His faithful ones at the resurrection of the just (Luke xvi, 14; Rev. xxii, 12). Our Luke xvi lesson study reads like a statement of facts and there is no reason why it should be called a parable. It is the one occasion on which our Lord drew aside the veil and gave us too see the unseen realities after we leave these bodies, plainly teaching for each one it will be happiness or torment, not the highest degree of bliss which will be the believer's portion only after the resurrection of the righteous nor the deepest woe which will be the unbeliever's portion after the judgment of the great white throne, but a conscious existence in bliss or woe, with no possibility of passing from one to the other. The reason of the rich man's condition after death was not because he had been rich, but from the last verse of the chapter it is evident that when on earth he had no use for Moses or the prophets. He was not a believer in the Scriptures, but evidently proud and self satisfied. After death he proved the reality of a place of torment and became anxious that his brethren should not reach the same destination. He pleaded that if one went from the dead they would believe, but was told that the writings of Moses and the prophets were all sufficient. We know from John xi and xii that another man named Lazarus did rise from the dead, but while some believed others sought to kill him again (John xii, 10-11). Our blessed Lord Jesus Christ, by whom and for whom all things were created, knew the unseen realities as no one else did, and we may count on every word He said as being literally so. By His death for our sins and resurrection from the dead He has provided forgiveness of sins, eternal life, eternal redemption, a joint heirship with Himself for "whoever will," and only those who receive it shall be the truly rich, for time and eternity (Prov. viii, 18; Rev. iii, 18). All others are poor indeed. Oh, the multitudes of rich poor people!

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perhaps come to this district otherwise.

In order to facilitate matters and to get the listings in the advertising literature all those desiring to list their property for sale are requested to place their listings on or before Monday, May 6th, with either Messrs. Sexsmith, Reed Bros. or J. N. Paton, and the sellers are requested to list at their lowest possible price, the upset price being the listed price.

Don't forget—All listings must be made on or before Monday, May 6th, with either G. B. Sexsmith, Reed Bros. or J. N. Paton.

### Express Sympathy

The following letter of sympathy was sent last week to London, Eng., by the Secretary-Treas. of the local branch of the Overseas Club, Mr. Alf. Jury, from the local members:

Organizer of the Overseas Club,

London, Eng.

Re the Titanic Disaster.  
Dear Sir—I have been instructed by the Didsbury and district members of the Overseas Club to convey through you to the widows, orphans and relatives of the victims of this terrible catastrophe their deepest sympathy.

Yours faithfully,

ALFRED JURY, Sec.-Treas.

### OBITUARY

The late Mrs. John J. Parker, whose funeral took place last week at Big Prairie, came to this district with her husband about four years ago from Imlay City, Mich. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss four sons and three daughters, W. J. and John Parker and Mrs. Belle Brown, all of Elkton, Alta., A. T. Parker, Muskegan, Mich., M. C. Parker, Norwich, N. Dak., Mrs. Christian Walker and Mrs. Elen McGrath, both of Imlay City, Mich. Mrs. Parker, who died at the age of 73 years, will be greatly missed by a large number of acquaintances and the family have the sympathy of the community in their loss.

### "The Girl and the Tramp"

In "The Girl and the Tramp" which will be seen for an engagement at the opera house, Monday, May 6, an automobile is used on the stage; entrance being made by Lola Lee in the machine. Miss Lee is the chief fun maker of "The Girl and the Tramp," but divides the honors of the comedy with Fred Byers, who is seen in the part of the tramp.

Years before the play is supposed to begin, the tramp's home is broken up and his child lost. He and Flo, a girl from the East Side of New York City, become interested in a husband and wife who have been kind to Flo and the tramp, to become reconciled. Later the tramp finds little Flo. The soubrette is his own child. There is a strong human interest in the play besides the ceaseless fire of comedy situations introduced by Miss Lee as the girl, and Mr. Byers as the tramp. They also have several musical numbers together.

### Beef Ring Notice

All members or any person who desires to join the Didsbury beef ring are requested to call at Jones' butcher shop and sign up at once if they wish to get in the first rings.

M. E. JONES, Butcher.

### Didsbury's Big Farm Lands Sale

Arrangements have been made in Didsbury for a big auction sale of farm lands in the surrounding district by public auction about the middle of June. This sale will be conducted by Mr. J. C. Potts, who has made such a success of the government's school lands sale and who will be assisted by Messrs. G. B. Sexsmith, Reed Bros. and J. N. Paton. The sale will be conducted along the same lines as the school lands sale which have proved such a success in the last few years but which the department has decided not to conduct this year.

These sales are to be conducted in several other places as well by Mr. Potts and extensive advertising of the lands for sale will be done throughout eastern Canada and the United States, which means that there should be a large number of buyers following along at all the sales that would not



MISS FLOY MANN  
who is in the leading role in the "Girl and the Tramp."

### Westcott News

During last week's electric storm Rex Dolman had his face badly seared with lightning.

Eric Burton got under the disc harrow last week but got off quite luckily. Always keep on top, Eric.

John Bellamy is starting to build an up-to date barn this week.

Hartley Anderson's father and sister have arrived from Maine. Mr. Anderson has started out with O. Kay Strain to finish the season's threshing.

Mrs. Dan Russell has been seriously ill but we are pleased to hear she is gradually improving.

Ezra Berscht has almost recovered from his accident of a few weeks ago and will be able to take up his work again in a few days.

Frank Perin, a former Westcott boy, has been visiting old friends and neighbors here the past few weeks.

### The First Time Offered for Sale in This Country

Machelia, Nature's Scalp Tonic, removes dandruff and prevents falling of the hair. Has a record for growing hair—95 cases out of 100. Each package contains a packet of Machelia Dry Shampoo powder. Price for complete home treatment, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by H. W. Chambers.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

STRAYED—One six year old cow, brindle faced, brand [redacted] on right rib; strayed from W. [redacted] Weikert slaughter house on April 16th; finder please notify N. WHICKER and receive reward.

## What Makes You Tired

So Tired That Even Sleep Fails to Restore.

There Are Poisons In the Blood That Can be Removed by

### DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

You get tired. That is only natural, whether you work with brain or muscle. But when you are not restored by a night's sleep there is something wrong.

The process of living is something like the burning of a fire. When the nerve cells are consumed by the activity of life and work there is left in the system an ash in the form of poisonous waste matter. These poisons in the system cause pain and give rise to feelings of fatigue.

Nothing will so quickly sweep these poisons from the system as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. The liver is quickened in action, the bowels move regularly and the kidneys take on new vigor and activity.

The blood is purified, the waste matter which has been clogging and retarding the organs of digestion is removed. Headaches and backaches disappear, the appetite is sharpened, digestion improves and you feel fine in every way.

A single box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, at a cost of twenty-five cents, will convince you of the promptness and certainty with which this great medicine cleanses the filtering and excretory organs and restores to health and vigor the whole digestive system. One pill a dose, 25c a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

#### Not Yet Finished.

During a recent visit to a Southern town a Washington man was much interested in a small darky who had been told off to administer to his wants.

On morning the stranger opened his eyes to find the diminutive coal black servitor standing at his bedside with a tray bearing coffee and rolls.

"Who are you, anyhow?" facetiously demanded the Washingtonian.

The taciturn youngster vouchsafe no reply, but grinned broadly.

"Where were you raised?" next inquired the visitor, with a vague notion that this was an opening question that this was an opening question.

The little darky grinned again and chuckled:

"I ain't done raised yit, suh!"

#### Hard To Understand.

"I can't understand why a woman should lie about her age. I should never try to deceive anybody in that way."

"Still, you wouldn't want everybody to know you were 41, would you?"

"Forty-one! The idea! I'll not be 32 till my next birthday."

**A Pill that Proves Its Value—Those of weak stomach will find strength in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, because they serve to maintain the healthful action of the stomach and the liver, irregularities in which are most distressing. Dyspeptics are well acquainted with them and value them at their proper worth. They have afforded relief when other preparations have failed, and have effected cures in ailments of long standing where other medicines were found unavailing.**

#### Cheerfully Subscribed.

Mrs. Noop—"Charlie, what do you think? Dad just sent us a one-thousand-dollar check for our new baby! Wasn't that good of him?"

Mr. Noop—"I should say so! I'll write at once and thank him for his contribution to the Fresh Heir fund."

#### By Way Of Consolation.

"There is such a thing as overdoing this 'bright side' business," recently observed a crusty old bachelor, "as was evidenced recently in the household of a friend of mine, whose wife has always prided herself on the circumstance that, she looks on the bright side.

"The husband, an absent minded sort of a chap, put the lighted end of his cigar in his mouth as he sat reading one evening. Of course, he jumped up and made a dreadful racket for a moment. Then wifey, anxious to live up to her reputation of being nice and cheerful and encouraging, smiled blandly and observed.—

"At anyrate, dear, it was most fortunate that you discovered it at once!"

## THE RAILWAY QUESTION.

Reckless Bonusing of Branch Lines—The Question Carefully Considered.

The present railway situation calls for careful consideration. On the one hand the development of Northwestern Canada demands railway facilities, and on the other it is possible that railroads may be constructed in wrong districts and more important localities be neglected. The fact is undeniable that hundreds of miles of branch roads have been and are being constructed that cannot possibly pay the interest on the first cost, to say nothing of the cost of equipment and operation. Look at the parallel lines through the three western provinces. In many places there are three lines where the whole of the traffic obtainable in the district is only sufficient for one. Many of these roads are not ten miles apart, and in several places they are not two.

On examining any good railroad map of Western Canada we find that these parallel lines aggregate hundreds of miles of railway, while there are many thousands of square miles of virgin territory entirely without the railroad facilities they so urgently need and which they must have or the continued development of the country will be seriously checked.

The trouble arises from the facility with which railway charters can be obtained, and the bonusing system. To illustrate: Say half a dozen men of no particular financial standing, meet and decide to get a charter for a railway. They decide on a scheme and ask the government for a charter. A little lobbying of parliament or legislature and they get all they ask for. They then ask for a bonus and get a bond guarantee for \$13,000.00 a mile. The next step is to organize a construction company among themselves. The bonds are sold, the cash is to hand, and the contracts for construction of the lines are given to the construction company. Maybe John Smith is president of the railway company, and the same John Smith is president of the construction company. So John Smith and the directors of the railway company award the contracts to John Smith and directors of the construction company at their own high figures. In short they contract with themselves, pay themselves out of the proceeds of the sale of the guaranteed bonds, and pocket the profit.

That was the old scheme, but the new one goes it one better—it is to organize a Branch Lines Company, and get a charter and a bond guarantee entirely independent of the trunk line company. They can now reap all the advantages gained by a construction company, but the trunk line company disowns all responsibility. Should the branch lines fail to make good, the trunk line company can refuse to be accountable for its actions, and can leave it to itself for itself. The results may be that the interest on the bonds of the branch lines company is not paid and they will then call on the government to pay it.

Thus the trunk line company will have all the benefit of the traffic they would have got in any case, the branch lines company will pocket all the profits they made on construction, and the people will pay the piper. Of course this game could only be worked on a railway bonused by guaranteed bonds. It could not be manipulated in constructing branch lines on a road that paid the entire cost of their construction and operation, without bond guarantee, out of its own treasury.

It is not time to call a halt in this bonusing business and the indiscriminate giving of charters to railway promoters. The credit of the provinces is not unlimited. Every million dollars worth of bonds guaranteed is a million dollars taken from their borrowing power. The time will come when the limit will be reached and at the rate we are now going it will not take a very long time before that limit will be passed.

There is now a congestion in the transportation of grain. The opening of every branch line increases this congestion. We are told that production continues to increase as it has increased during the past few years the railways will not be able to handle more than forty per cent of the grain crop of 1915 before the close of navigation unless the railways double track their main lines. Is it not time to put an end to this insane bonusing of branch lines until provision is made for sending our immense harvests to the markets of the world.

#### Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

"I see your wife has her hand in a bandage. What is the matter?" "I set a mouse-trap and put it in my coat pocket last night." —From Judge.

#### A Woman's Way.

"My dear," says the bacteriologist's wife, "did you remember to order the coal?"

"Doggone it!" growls the bacteriologist. "Every time I count up to nine hundred and eighty-five thousand three hundred and forty-five germs in this spoonful of milk, she comes and interrupts me and makes me lose the count!"

Closing the door with a slam, he begins again, "One, two, three," etc.

There was a deficit of nearly £1,000,000 on the working of the P.O. telegraphs and telephones for 1910-11.



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## SPRING BLOOD IS WATERY BLOOD

How to Get New Health and New Strength at This Season.

Spring ailments are not imaginary. Even the most robust find the winter months most trying to their health.

Confinement indoors, often in overheated and nearly always badly ventilated rooms—in the home, the office, the shop, and the school, taxes the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes thin and watery and is clogged with impurities. Some people have headaches and a feeling of languor. Others are low-spirited and nervous. Still others are troubled with disfiguring pimples and skin eruptions, while some get up in the morning feeling just as tired as when they went to bed. These are all spring symptoms that the blood is out of order and that a medicine is needed.

Many people take purgative medicines in the spring. This is a serious mistake. You cannot cure yourself with a medicine that gallops through your system and leaves you weaker still. This is all that a purgative does.

What you need to give you health and strength in the spring is a tonic medicine that will enrich the blood and soothe the tangled nerves.

And the one always reliable tonic and blood builder is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

These pills not only banish spring weakness but guard you against the more serious ailments that follow, such as anaemia, nervous debility, indigestion, rheumatism, and other diseases due to bad blood.

In proof of this Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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### Linoleums! Linoleums!

Best Quality, 4 yds. wide, regular \$3.00; to make a clean-up at..... \$2.50 a yd  
to choice patterns to pick from, all this season's stock.

### The Handy Clothes Horse

Can be folded up to a 4 inch space. Regular selling price each \$1.75; our very special price..... Each \$1.00

### Your Grocery Order

Let us figure on your Grocery Order before sending to Calgary. We can save you money and give you A 1 Goods. We have done it for others. Give us the chance.

### Furniture! Furniture!

We are clearing out every article of Furniture in the store. Accept this opportunity to lay in your supply now. Cost price is all we want out of it. Come and see.

New Spring Goods still arriving. Navy Blue Prints, 25 pieces; Vestings, Dress Voiles, Dress Muslins, Etc.

## Studer & Co.

THE ONLY STRAIGHT CASH STORE IN TOWN

## SCREENS FOR THE DOORS AND WINDOWS BUILDER'S HARDWARE.

HOW ABOUT  
DOOR MATS?



WE CARRY EVERYTHING YOU NEED IN BUILDERS' HARDWARE, FROM THE WIRE SCREEN ON THE FRONT DOOR TO THE OUTSIDE KNOB ON THE KITCHEN DOOR. YOUR HOUSE OR BUILDING, IF PROPERLY "HARD-WARED," WILL BE MUCH MORE HANDSOME THAN IF YOU GIVE NO CARE TO THE KIND OF "TRIMMINGS" YOU USE.

WHEN IT'S ANYTHING IN HARDWARE. WE HAVE IT.

**D. S. SHANTZ & CO.**

## Shipping Grain

With the harvest only a short time off, it is well to bear in mind that "The Traders Bank" is willing to assist the farmer to market his grain—will advance money against bills of lading and cash grain tickets. Our daily market reports are at your disposal, as well as our manager's advice. Call and see him. 600

Capital and Surplus  
\$6,800,000

Total Assets  
\$52,000,000

**THE TRADERS BANK**  
R. A. MACPHERSON, DIDSURY, Alta.

## DIDSBUY MARKETS

Steers, grain fed, live .....	\$6.00
Beef, corn fed, dressed.....	8.00
Veal, dressed .....	10.00
Hogs, live.....	8.00
Hogs, dressed .....	10.00
Bacon, No. 1, smoked.....	22½
Hams, No. 1 .....	0.20
Mutton, dressed.....	12½
Chickens, spring dressed .....	12½
Chickens, live .....	0.10
Fowl.....	8 to 10c
Hides, green.....	0.06
Butter, choice .....	0.30
Eggs.....	0.18
Potatoes, bushel .....	.60
Hay, upland No. 1 .....	8.00
Hay, timothy, No. 1 .....	12.00
Green feed .....	7.50
Wheat, No. 1 red .....	0.70
Wheat, No. 1 white .....	0.70
Wheat, No. 1 northern .....	0.79
Wheat, No. 1 feed .....	0.30
Flax .....	1.50
Barley No. 4 .....	0.40
Oats, extra No. 1 feed .....	0.28
Oats, No. 1 feed .....	0.27
Oats, under 34 lbs.. .....	0.21

## BUSINESS LOCALS

Wanted—A well experienced man with a little money to go in partnership in the manufacture of cement blocks and other building properties mads of cement. Apply Murray Scott, Edson, Alta.

Highest cash price paid for eggs. Early Ohio seed potatoes for sale. A. A. Perrin, egg merchant, Didsbury.

Taube Eyesight Specialists have opened a permanent office in room 16 and 17 Elma blk., 8th avenue, Calgary, and will make their visits regular here at Chambers Drug Store every 2 months. All work absolutely guaranteed.

If your present glasses do not give you entire satisfaction that is why you should consult M. Mecklenberg, A. M., the eminent eye specialist, for by giving absolute satisfaction in such cases as yours is why he has made his reputation. A word to the wise is sufficient. Will again be at the Alexandra Hotel, Didsbury, on Thursday, May 2nd.

## Financial Report

The executive committee of the Citizens Band held a meeting in Liesemer's hardware store on Monday night when business of importance to the welfare of the band was taken up. Mr. Geo. Liesemer in the chair.

The auditor's report of the financial standing of the band was read by Sec-Treas. Perchabacker. The report is given below.

The matter of a suitable place to give band concerts in public was taken up and it was decided that the piece of ground opposite the postoffice was the best place but that there was no facilities for holding concerts there.

Mr. B. A. St. Clair undertook the task of getting the Council to put up a pole and to carry the electric light wire over to the grounds, while Geo. Liesemer offered to put up the fixtures gratis.

A committee composed of Messrs. J. R. Good and Geo. Liesemer will look after erecting a temporary band stand.

Messrs. Gathercole, Osmund and Fischer were appointed a committee to confer with the Overseas Club re celebration on 24th of May.

The Neapolis band had sent in an invitation to the Citizens band to go out to Neapolis some evening in the next two weeks to spend a social time with them when a baseball or football game will be played and a joint open air concert given by the bands. It is likely all automobile owners in town will be called upon to show their usual generosity to take the band out. Arrangements will also be made to entertain the Neapolis people in town some evening in the near future. The matter of choosing a night to go out was left in the hands of the bandmen.

### FINANCIAL REPORT—RECEIPTS

Credits, members fees.....	\$30.00
July 8, credit by cash from Ladies Aid lawn social.....	50.00
Oct. 20, donations .....	7.05
Dec. 4, by check, Agricultural Society .....	25.00
Jan. 10, concert.....	15.15
April 8, by check, curling club .....	15.00
Total .....	\$143.20

Having been compelled to take over

### A Car of

## Hoosier Press Drills and Disc and Lever Harrows

I will sell same at cost. Now is your chance to get your MACHINERY CHEAP

## O. W. Hembling

Office at the old stand

## Opera House Monday May 6th

### SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT OF Mr. Fred Byers IN THAT

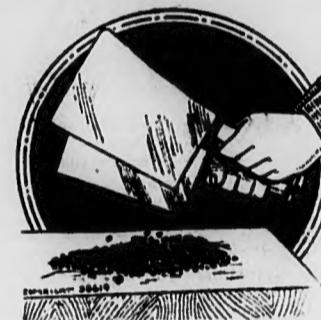
JINGLING  
OLLY  
JOYFUL  
OLLIER  
**"The Girl  
Tramp"**  
The Laughing Comedy Success.

PRICES : 25c 75c \$1.00

NOTE—This is the original No. 1 Company, the same as plays Edmonton and three days at the Sherman Grand in Calgary. A Positively Guaranteed Attraction.

### EXPENDITURES

July 8, to check to R. Mann, for services Coronation Day.....	\$2.00
Aug. 15, check for music bag (Chambers) .....	1.35
Oct. 29, Gathercole (tuition) .....	17.85
Oct. 5, cornet case .....	3.00
Oct. 17, band caps .....	31.55
Dec. 2, Gathercole (tuition) .....	15.00
Dec. 23, Gathercole (tuition) .....	18.25
Jan. 18, Gathercole (tuition) .....	15.00
March 5, music folios .....	2.25
April 8, music .....	34.15
April 8, express on music folios .....	.75
April 28, post cards .....	.20
Total expenditure.....	\$141.35
<b>BILLS OUTSTANDING</b>	
H. Gathercole (tuition) .....	\$86.25
Bert Myell music house .....	2.82
Wright, painting drum .....	3.60
Total .....	\$92.57
April 28th, 1912. Audited and found correct.	
J. M. REED, Official Auditor.	



We have a large shipment of extra good Lard from 12c lb. up

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BUTTER AND EGGS  
WE BUY HOGS, CATTLE, CHICKENS, HIDES, ETC., and pay highest cash prices

## Not Subject to Taxation

A good deal of uncertainty has been prevalent as to whether the stocks owned by merchants are taxable under the new single tax law. Mr. Reed, town clerk, has been notified that such stocks are not subject to taxation, consequently the owners of the land on which the business is done will be the only taxpayers.

This does not look fair on the face of it because some of the business places are only rented, consequently these business men who are making a revenue from the town do not have to pay anything for its upkeep.

However, the new "Town Act" states that a license can be charged on all business places, from real estate to a general store, so that covers the question somewhat, although the license fee cannot be as large as the taxation would be.

### I. O. O. F. Notice

All members of the Didsbury I.O.O.F. and visiting brothers are requested to meet at Fraternity hall at 7 p. m. Sunday, May 5, to parade to divine worship at the Presbyterian church.

### DIED

PARKER—On Friday, April 19th, 1912, Mrs. John J. Parker, aged 73 years and 7 months.

## Drays for Hire

We are ready at all times to do your draying or hauling of all kinds.

Teams always at your service.

H. ROETH, Didsbury

## Brush Runabout in Running Condition

**\$160.00**

\$60 cash, balance in fall  
\$50 puts car in new condition

**F. A. BOWMAN**  
DIDSURY